STATE OF IOWA, COUNTY OF BLACK HAWK

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COMPLAINT, AFFIDAVIT and ORDER

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15A.5 of the Iowa Criminal Code.	Complainant Complainant
Subscribed and sworn to before me by the said com	plainant on the day of April, 2010. Concert State of Towa
STATE OF IOWA, COUNTY OF BLACK HAWK, SS.	July 2
to me by other reliable persons form the basis for my belief t See Affidavit - Attachment A	roath, state that the following facts known by me or told that the Defendant committed the crimes charged.
Subscribed and sworn to before me by the said con	aplainant on this day of tork 2010.
	Magistrate/Judge or Notary Public in the State of Iowa
	ORDER
It is ordered that a summons be issued by the Clerk setting an appearance on the above referenced charge for the	of Court to the defendant at the last known address and ay of April 2010 at 8:50 a.m./p-m-
	Magistrate/Judge, First Judicial District Black Hawk County, Iowa

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IN THE IOWA DISTRICT COURT FOR BLACK HAWK COUNTY

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As it relates to the above referenced defendant the following information was learned.

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IN THE IOMA DISTRICT COURT IN AND FOR BLACK HAWK COUNTY

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Plaintiff,) Case No. 01871 AGC	CR168181
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ANGELA LYN BIGELOW)	
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Defendant.)	

TO: ANGELA LYN BIGELOW 318 W 5TH ST CEDAR FADLS IA 50613

TO THE ABOVE NAMED INDIVIDUAL:

You are hereby ordered by the Court to appear on the first floor of the Black Hawk County Courthouse, Waterloo, Iowa, on the 22ND day of APRIL , 2010 , at 8:30 A.M. for a INITIAL APPEARANCE with respect to a Complaint that has been filed charging you with the offense of TAMPERING W/RECORDS

You should report to the court attendant's desk outside the large courtroom on the first floor of the courthouse.

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IT 18 FURTHER ORDERED that the Black Hawk County Sheriff's Office provide the defendant with personal service of a copy of this order.

Dated 04/07/10 .

DISTRICT ASSOCIATE DUDGE/

Copies to: Sheriff

STATE OF IOWA, COUNTY OF BLACK HAWK

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ALERK OF DISTRICT COURT BLACK HAWA COUNTY, 10WA

CASENO, AGOR 16876

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COMPLAINT, AFFIDAVIT and ORDER

CONNIE ARLENE BIGELOW,

DOB: 04/23/1947

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Subscribed and sworn to before me by	the said complainant on the day of the 2010.
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•	Notary Public in the State of Iowa
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I, the undersigned, being first duly sworn and under oath, state that the following facts known by me or told to me by other reliable persons form the basis for my belief that the Defendant committed the crimes charged.

See Affidavit - Attachment A

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the said complainant on this 7th day of April 2010.

Magistrate/Judge or Notary Public in the State of Iowa

ORDER

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Magistrate/Judge, First Judicial District Black Hawk County, Iowa

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STATE OF IONA.

plaintiff,

plaintiff,

Case No. 01071 AGCR168176

BUMMONS

CONNIE A BIGSLOW

Defendant.

TO: CONNIE A BIGELOW

1716 W 18TH ST APT 201

CEDAR FALLS IA \$0613

TO THE ABOVE NAMED INDIVIDUAL:

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Dated 04/07/10 .

DISTRICT ASSOCIATE JUDGE/

MAGISTRATE

Copies to: Sheriff

COUNTY OF BLACK HAWK STATE OF IOWA,

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STATE OF IOWA

LERK OF DISTRICT COURT BLACK HAWK COUNTY, IOWA CASENO. AGORIL8174

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COMPLAINT, AFFIDAVIT and ORDER

KERRY LYNN BURT, DOB: 12/17/64,

Count One

Comes Now the State of Iowa and accuses Kerry Lynn Burtof the crime of Tampering with Records, an aggravated misdemeanor, committed as follows: the defendant on or about August 16, 2007, in the County of Black Hawk, State of Iowa, did commit tampering with records relating to STB in violation of Section 715A5 of the Iowa Criminal Code.

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Subscribed and sworn to before me by the said	d complainant on the day of April, 2010.

STATE OF IOWA, COUNTY OF BLACK HAWK, SS.

I, the undersigned, being first duly sworn and under oath, state that the following facts known by me or told to me by other reliable persons form the basis for my belief that the Defendant committed the crimes charged. See Affidavit - Attachment A

day of Subscribed and sworn to before me by the said complainant on this /

Magistrate/Judge or Notary Public in the State of Iowa

ORDER

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Magistrate/Judge, First Judicial District Black Hawk County, Iowa

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IN THE IOWA DISTRICT COURT FOR BLACK HAWK COUNTY 2010 APR -7 AM 9: 24

STATE OF IOWA	SLACK HAWK COUNTY, 10WA	CASE NO
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As it relates to the above referenced defendant the following information was learned.

Kerry Lynn Burt resides at 150 Hawthorne Avenue in Waterloo, IA. He resides at the address with his wife and two children, STB and ICB. It was learned that Burt has resided at this address for the past 13 years.

One or more of the Burt children have attended PLS since the 2003/04 school year.

Burt claims to have attempted to open enroll his children from the Waterloo Community District into PLS. However, there is no record that would confirm this attempt from PLS or the Waterloo Community School District.

On August 16, 2007, Kerry Burt completed a form entitled "Enrollment Application and Transfer Form" to apply for the admission of STB into PLS. On the form Burt listed an address for STB of 1815 Franklin Street, Cedar Falls, IA. Burt also completed a form dated August 16, 2007, for STB entitled "Registration Information". On the form Burt listed a residential address of 1815 Franklin Street, Cedar Falls, IA for himself and for STB.

Burt completed a form dated August 16, 2007, for ICB entitled "Registration Information". On the form Burt listed a residential address of 1815 Franklin Street, Cedar Falls, IA for himself and for ICB.

1815 Franklin Street, Cedar Falls, IA is an address within the residential zone of the PLS.

The address of 1815 Franklin Street belongs to Marguerite Pircer. Ms. Pircer is an acquaintance of Kerry Burt. Ms. Pircer indicated that the defendant and the Burt children have never resided at her home on Franklin Street. Ms. Pircer indicated that she would occasionally receive mail for the children at her address which she would forward to the defendant.

The defendant was interviewed by an agent with the Iowa DCI. During the interview the defendant admitted to using the address on Franklin Street to obtain residential status for his children. The defendant indicated that everyone at the school was aware of his actual address and he never tried to conceal it from anyone at the school.

It appears from school records obtained during the investigation that the defendant has always maintained on official school records that his children reside at 1815 Franklin Street in Cedar Falls, IA.

Based upon the auditor's findings, it was determined that Burt used a false address beginning in the 2003/04 school year through 2008/09. It was determined that Burt owes \$37,139 (thirty-seven thousand one hundred thirty-nine dollars) to the Price Lab Schools in proper tuition and registration fees.

IN THE IOWA DISTRICT COURT IN AND FOR BLACK HAWK COUNTY

STATE OF IOWA,

Plaintiff,

Case No. 01071 AGCR168174

SUMMONS

KERRY LYNN BURT

Defendant.

TO: KERRY LYNN BURT

150 HAWTHORNE AVE

WATERLOO IA 50702

TO THE ABOVE NAMED INDIVIDUAL:

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Dated 04/07/10 .

DISTRICT ASSOCIATE JUDGE/

MAGISTRATE

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COMPLAINT, AFFIDAVIT and ORDER

FLORA	<u>DEKOCK</u>
DOR: 10	

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Magistrate/Judge, First Judicial District Black Hawk County, lowa

Defendant Prosecutor_ Police Court

IN THE IOWA DISTRICT COURT. FOR BLACK HAWK COUNTY

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As it relates to the above referenced defendant the following information was learned.

In school year 2007/08 Flora DeKock resided at 929 Rainbow Drive, Cedar Falls, IA. She resided at the address with her son JRL. The Rainbow Drive address is not in the residential or buffer zone of PLS. Currently Flora DeKock resides at 1207 West 19th Street, Cedar Falls, IA. which is in the residential zone of PLS.

JRL has attended PLS since the 2005/06 school year.

On July 16, 2007, Flora DeKock completed the "Registration Information" form to enroll JRL at PLS. On the form DeKock listed a residential address for JRL of 1210 West 19th Street, Cedar, Falls, IA. DeKock listed her address at 929 Rainbow Drive, Cedar Falls, IA.

1210 West 19th Street Cedar Falls, IA is an address within the residential zone of the PLS.

The address of 1210 West 19th Street belongs to Walter DeKock who is the father of Flora DeKock. Mr. DeKock indicated that the defendant and JRL have never resided at his home on West 19th Street. Mr. DeKock indicated that he would occasionally receive mail for JRL at his address which he would forward to the defendant. Mr. DeKock also stated that he never had any type of guardianship of JRL.

The defendant was interviewed by an agent with the Iowa DCI. During the interview the defendant admitted to using the address 1210 West 19th Street to obtain residential status for her child in the 2007/08 school year. The defendant indicated that she believed everyone at the school was aware of her actual address.

It appears from school records obtained during the investigation that the defendant has always maintained on official school records that her child resides at 1210 West 19th Street in Cedar Falls, IA until she moved to 1207 West 19th Street, Cedar Falls, IA

Flora DeKock resided outside the PLS zone in 2007/2008 and was not eligible for open enrollment and should have "tuitioned-in" and been charged a higher fee. When proper fees are applied for the school years 2005/2006 through 2007/2008 the total owed is \$15,406 minus the previous fees applied of \$1,501.

IN THE 10MA DISTRICT COURT IN AND FOR BLACK HAWK COUNTY

STATE OF IOWA,

Plaintiff,

ORBE NO. 01071 AGCR168179

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PLOKA LANGEL JOYCE DEKOCK

Defendant.

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TO: FLORA LANGEL JOYCE DEKOCK 1207 W 19TH ST CEDAR FALLS IA 50613

TO THE ABOVE NAMED INDIVIDUAL:

You are hereby ordered by the Court to appear on the first

floor of the Black Hawk County Courthouse, Waterloo, Iowa, on the

22nd day of APRIL , 2010 , at 8:30 A.M. for a

INITIAL APPEARANCE with respect to a Complaint that has been

filed charging you with the offense of TAMPERING W/RECORDS

You should report to the court attendant's desk outside the large courtroom on the first floor of the courthouse.

If you fail to so appear, a warrant for your arrest may be issued. Please take notice and govern yourself accordingly.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the Black Hawk County Sheriff's
Office provide the defendant with personal service of a copy of
this order.

Dated 04/07/10 .

DISTRICT ASSOCIATE JUDGE/ MAGISTRATE

Copies to: Sheriff

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STATE OF IOWA	CASE NO. NECK. 150162 BLACK HAWK COURTY, 18WACOMPLAINT, AFFIDAVIT and ORDER

KRISTI ANN EASTMAN,

DOB: 03/07/1969

Count One

Comes Now the State of Iowa and accuses Kristi A. Eastman of the crime of Tampering with Records, an aggravated misdemeanor, committed as follows: the defendant on or about the 1st Day of September, 2008, in the County of Black Hawk, State of Iowa, did commit tampering with records relating to LE in violation of Section 715A.5 of the Iowa Criminal Code.

Count Two

Comes Now the State of Iowa and accuses Kristi A. Eastman of the crime of Tampering with Records, an aggravated misdemeanor, committed as follows: the defendant on or about the 1st day of September, 2008, in the County of Black Hawk, State of Iowa, did commit tampering with records relating to CE in violation of Section 715A.5 of the Iowa Criminal Code.

Count Three

Comes Now the State of Iowa and accuses Kristi A. Eastman of the crime of Tampering with Records, an aggravated misdemeanor, committed as follows: the defendant on or about the 1st day of September, 2008, in the County of Black Hawk, State of Iowa, did commit tampering with records relating to WWE in violation of Section 715A.5 of the Iowa Criminal Code.

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the said complainant on the

STATE OF IOWA, COUNTY OF BLACK HAWK, SS.

I, the undersigned, being first duly sworn and under oath, state that the following facts known by me or told to me by other reliable persons form the basis for my belief that the Defendant committed the crimes charged. See Affidavit - Attachment A

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the said complainant on this 7th day of April

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Court	Police	Prosecutor	Defendant
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IN THE IOWA DISTRICT COURT FOR BLACK HAWK COUNTY

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STATE OF IOWA	BLACK HAWK COUNTY, 10WA	CASE NO.
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In March of 2009, information came to law enforcement that indicated some patrons of the Malcolm Price Laboratory School (K-6), hereinafter referred to as (PLS), located at the University of Northern Iowa were listing addresses on school records for their children that were false. The addresses were listed on enrollment and registration forms provided by the PLS.

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Patrons of the PLS who live within a defined residential or buffer zone are allowed to send their children to the PLS for a fee of \$500. Patrons who desire to send their children to PLS that live outside of the residential or buffer zone can do so by following the appropriate open enrollment procedure set by the Iowa Department of Education or by following a process called "tuitioning in". For a patron to "tuition-in" a student they must receive permission of PLS administration and pay the "per pupil fee" set by the legislature. For the 2007-2008 school year the "per pupil fee" set by the legislature was \$5,333.00. For the 2008-2009 school year the "per pupil fee" set by the legislature was \$

Patrons who listed a false residential address for their children thereby gained an educational benefit for their child that would not have otherwise been available, avoided paying higher fees in the form of tuition and avoided having to following open enrollment procedures.

In the 2008/09 school year PLS began using a computerized program to register students. The name of the program was Power Schools. According to Aaron Spur of PLS who oversees the operation of the computer system each family was assigned one password. The password could be used to access the school account to register a student for the school year. The school relied on the information provided by the patron registering the student. The passwords were unique to each family and not

individuals. There would be no way of telling which parent or guardian accessed the account to register student only that it had been accessed with the assigned password.

In March/April of 2009, agents with the Iowa Division of Criminal Investigation assisted by the State Auditor's investigators conducted an investigation into the listing of the false address. School documents were inspected and copied and interviews of certain individuals including administrative staff members, parents and community members were completed.

As it relates to the above referenced defendant the following information was learned.

Todd T. and Kristi Ann Eastman reside at 1491 Newell Street in Waterloo, IA. Neither Todd or Kristi Eastman have ever resided at 1615 or 1611 Washington Street in Cedar Falls, IA. Both addresses belong to Barry Eastman, Todd Eastman's older brother. The Eastman's reside at the Newell Street address with their children LE, CE and WWE. It was learned that the Eastman's have resided at the Newell address for approximately the past 10 years.

One or more of the Eastman children have attended PLS since the 2006/07 school year.

The defendants never attempted to open enroll their children from the Waterloo Community School District into PLS. This information was confirmed by Laurie Wery of the Waterloo Community School District who indicated as such to Linda Nielsen, the University of Iowa internal auditor.

Either Todd or Kristi Eastman accessed the Power Schools account to register each of their children, LE, CE and WWE at PLS for the 2008/09 school year. On past registrations the parent registering the children was Kristi Eastman. The only persons able to access and register the children listed below are the defendants Todd and Kristi Eastman.

A document generated by *Power Schools* entitled "Demographics" for the 08/09 school year lists a residential address for LE as 1615 Washington Street, Cedar Falls, IA. The demographics of an individual student are a record maintained electronically by the PLS computer system.

A document generated by *Power Schools* entitled "Demographics" for the 08/09 school year lists a residential address for CE as 1615 Washington Street, Cedar Falls, IA.

A document generated by *Power Schools* entitled "Demographics" for the 08/09 school year lists a residential address for WWE as 1615 Washington Street, Cedar Falls, IA.

1615 Washington Street, Cedar Falls, IA is an address within the residential zone of the PLS.

The only source of the information entered into *Power' Schools* whereby the demographic document was generated would be Todd and Kristi Eastman.

During an interview Kristi Eastman stated that she and her husband are living apart and that Todd Eastman resided, at least part of the time with the children, at 1615 Washington Street. During the interview she was unable to provide verification.

In 2008 when the children were registered with the PLS, a letter dated September 11, 2008, was sent from Dave Smith, Director of PLS, to both Todd and Kristi Eastman requesting they send verification as to their address of 1615 Washington. In an e-mail and attachment sent back to the school on September 17, 2008, Kristi Eastman provided a bank statement from Lincoln Savings Bank in Reinbeck, IA indicating an address of 1615 Washington Street, Cedar Falls, IA. The bank statement was titled in the names of Todd and Kristi Eastman.

In March of 2009, Todd Eastman obtained a driver's license with the residential address of 1615 Washington, Cedar Falls, IA despite the fact that he did not reside at that address. In letter dated September 11, 2008, a driver's license was a form of address verification requested by PLS. Mr. Eastman during an interview indicated that he resided, at least part time, at 1615 Washington Street, Cedar Falls, IA. He also indicated that there was a second dwelling at 1611 Washington Street, Cedar Falls, IA. During his interview Mr. Eastman stated that when his children visited him at the Washington Street residence they would stay at the property located at 1611 Washington Street. It was learned during the investigation that this was untrue. Alissa Wagner has rented the house at 1611 Washington from Barry Eastman since July of 2008. During the time she rented the property Todd Eastman has never resided there nor is she familiar with Todd Eastman or his children.

The address of 1615 Washington Street belongs to Barry Eastman. Barry Eastman indicated that the defendant and the Eastman children have never resided at either 1615 or 1611 Washington Street, Cedar Falls, IA. Barry Eastman indicated that he would occasionally receive mail for the children at his address which he would forward to the defendant. Prior to receiving the mail for the children he was told by Todd Eastman that he would be receiving mail for them from the PLS school.

Beginning with the 2006/07 and ending with the 2008/09 school year it was determined, based upon the proper per pupil fee, the Eastman's owed \$33,755 to the PLS.

IN THE IOWA DISTRICT COURT IN AND FOR BLACK HAWK COUNTY

STATE OF IOWA,

Plaintiff,

Case No. 01071 AGCR168182

VS

SUMMONS

KRISTI ANN EASTMAN

Defendant.

TO: KRISTI ANN EASTMAN 1491 NEWELL ST WATERLOO IA 50703

TO THE ABOVE NAMED INDIVIDUAL:

You are hereby ordered by the Court to appear on the first floor of the Black Hawk County Courthouse, Waterloo, Iowa, on the 22ND day of APRIL , 2010 , at 8:30 A.M. for a INITIAL APPEARANCE with respect to a Complaint that has been filed charging you with the offense of TAMPERING W/RECORDS . You should report to the court attendant's deak outside the large courtroom on the first floor of the courthouse.

If you fail to so appear, a warrant for your arrest may be issued. Please take notice and govern yourself accordingly.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the Black Hawk County Sheriff's Office provide the defendant with personal service of a copy of this order.

Dated 04/07/10

DISTRICT ASSOCIATE GUDGE/ MAGISTRATE

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Copies to: Sheriff

STATE OF IOWA, COUNTY OF BLACK HAWK

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COMPLAINT, AFFIDAVIT and ORDER

TODD TIMOTHY EASTMAN,

DOB: 12/31/1966

Count One

Comes Now the State of Iowa and accuses Todd T. Eastman of the crime of Tampering with Records, an aggravated misdemeanor, committed as follows: the defendant on or about the 1st Day of September, 2008, in the County of Black Hawk, State of Iowa, did commit tampering with records relating to LE in violation of Section 715A.5 of the Iowa Criminal Code.

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Count Three

Comes Now the State of Iowa and accuses Todd T. Eastman of the crime of Tampering with Records, an aggravated misdemeanor, committed as follows: the defendant on or about the 1⁶¹ day of September, 2008, in the County of Black Hawk, State of Iowa, did commit tampering with records relating to WWE in violation of Section 715A.5 of the Iowa Criminal Code.

Complainant

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the said complainant on the

of 2010.

Notary Public in the State of Iowa

STATE OF IOWA, COUNTY OF BLACK HAWK, SS.

I, the undersigned, being first duly sworn and under oath, state that the following facts known by me or told to me by other reliable persons form the basis for my belief that the Defendant committed the crimes charged.

See Affidavit - Attachment A

Affiant

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the said complainant on this 715

day of April 2010

Magistrate/Judge or Notary Public in the State of Iowa

Court

Police_____

Prosecutor

Defendant

	ORDER	
It is ordered that a summons be issued by the C setting an appearance on the above referenced charge for	Clerk of Court to the defendant at the last known addition the April 2010 at 8:30 a	ress m./ p.n
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IN THE IOWA DISTRICT COURT FOR BLACK HAWK COUNTY

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In March/April of 2009, agents with the Iowa Division of Criminal Investigation assisted by the State Auditor's investigators conducted an investigation into the listing of the false address. School documents were inspected and copied and interviews of certain individuals including administrative staff members, parents and community members were completed.

As it relates to the above referenced defendant the following information was learned.

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One or more of the Eastman children have attended PLS since the 2006/07 school year.

The defendants never attempted to open enroll their children from the Waterloo Community School District into PLS. This information was confirmed by Laurie Wery of the Waterloo Community School District who indicated as such to Linda Nielsen, the University of Iowa internal auditor.

Either Todd or Kristi Eastman accessed the Power Schools account to register each of their children, LE, CE and WWE at PLS for the 2008/09 school year. On past registrations the parent registering the children was Kristi Eastman. The only persons able to access and register the children listed below are the defendants Todd and Kristi Eastman.

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A document generated by *Power Schools* entitled "Demographics" for the 08/09 school year lists a residential address for WWE as 1615 Washington Street, Cedar Falls, IA.

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During an interview Kristi Eastman stated that she and her husband are living apart and that Todd Eastman resided, at least part of the time with the children, at 1615 Washington Street. During the interview she was unable to provide verification.

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In March of 2009, Todd Eastman obtained a driver's license with the residential address of 1615 Washington, Cedar Falls, IA despite the fact that he did not reside at that address. In letter dated September 11, 2008, a driver's license was a form of address verification requested by PLS. Mr. Eastman during an interview indicated that he resided, at least part time, at 1615 Washington Street, Cedar Falls, IA. He also indicated that there was a second dwelling at 1611 Washington Street, Cedar Falls, IA. During his interview Mr. Eastman stated that when his children visited him at the Washington Street residence they would stay at the property located at 1611 Washington Street. It was learned during the investigation that this was untrue. Alissa Wagner has rented the house at 1611 Washington from Barry Eastman since July of 2008. During the time she rented the property Todd Eastman has never resided there nor is she familiar with Todd Eastman or his children.

The address of 1615 Washington Street belongs to Barry Eastman. Barry Eastman indicated that the defendant and the Eastman children have never resided at either 1615 or 1611 Washington Street, Cedar Falls, IA. Barry Eastman indicated that he would occasionally receive mail for the children at his address which he would forward to the defendant. Prior to receiving the mail for the children he was told by Todd Eastman that he would be receiving mail for them from the PLS school.

Beginning with the 2006/07 and ending with the 2008/09 school year it was determined, based upon the proper per pupil fee, the Eastman's owed \$33,755 to the PLS.

IN THE LOWA DISTRICT COURT IN AND FOR BLACK HANK COUNTY

STATE OF IOWA,

Plaintiff,

Plaintiff,

Case No. 01071 AGCR168180

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SUMMONS

TODD T EASTMAN

Defendant,

TO: TODD T EASTMAN

WATERLOO IA 50703

1491 NEWELL ST

TO THE ABOVE NAMED INDIVIDUAL:

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If you fail to so appear, a warrant for your arrest may be issued. Please take notice and govern yourself accordingly.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the Black Hawk County Sheriff's Office provide the defendant with personal service of a copy of this order.

Dated 04/07/10 .

DISTRICT ASSOCIATE JUDGE/

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Copies to: Sheriff

STATE OF IOWA, COUNTY OF BLACK HAWK

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STATE OF IOWA

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COMPLAINT, AFFIDAVIT and ORDER

ANGIE LINN GILBERT, DOB: 01/16/1977

Count One

Comes Now the State of Iowa and accuses Angie L. Gilbert of the crime of Tampering with Records, an aggravated misdemeanor, committed as follows: the defendant on or about the 2nd Day of August, 2007, in the County of Black Hawk, State of Iowa, did commit tampering with records relating to CAG in violation of Section 715A.5 of the Iowa Criminal Code.

Count Two

Comes Now the State of Iowa and accuses Angie L. Gilbert of the crime of Tampering with Records, an aggravated misdemeanor, committed as follows: the defendant on or about the 2nd Day of August, 2007, in the County of Black Hawk, State of Iowa, did commit tampering with records relating to KAG in violation of Section 715A.5 of the Iowa Criminal Code.

Count Three

Comes Now the State of Iowa and accuses Argie L. Gilbert of the crime of Tampering with Records, an aggravated misdemeanor, committed as follows: the defendant on or about the 2nd Day of August, 2007, in the County of Black Hawk, State of Iowa, did commit tampering with records relating to CG in violation of Section 715A.5 of the Iowa Criminal Code.

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the said complainant on the day of April 2010.

Note: Public in the State of Yowa.

STATE OF IOWA, COUNTY OF BLACK HAWK, SS.

I, the undersigned, being first duly sworn and under oath, state that the following facts known by me or told to me by other reliable persons form the basis for my belief that the Defendant committed the crimes charged.

See Affidavit - Attachment A

Affiant Ani D

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the said complainant on this

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IN THE IOWA DISTRICT COURT FOR BLACK HAWK COUNTY

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STATE OF IOWA	LERK OF DISTRACT UGURT	CASE NO
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ANGIE L. GILBERT)	

In March of 2009, information came to law enforcement that indicated a number of patrons of the Malcolm Price Laboratory School (K-6), hereinafter referred to as (PLS), located at the University of Northern Iowa were listing addresses on school records for their children that were false. The addresses were listed on enrollment and registration records of the PLS.

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Patrons of the PLS who live within a defined residential or buffer zone are allowed to send their children to the PLS for a fee of \$500 for the 2006/07 school year, \$526 for the 2007/08 school year and \$543 for the 2008/09 school year. Patrons who desire to send their children to PLS that live outside of the residential or buffer zone can do so by following the appropriate open enrollment procedure set by the Iowa Department of Education or by following a process called "tuitioning in". For a patron to "tuition-in" a student must receive permission of the PLS administration and pay the "per pupil fee" set by the legislature. For the 2006/07 school year the per-pupil fee was \$5,135.00. For the 2007-2008 school year the "per-pupil fee" set by the legislature was \$5,333.00. For the 2008-2009 school year the "per pupil fee" set by the legislature was \$5,500.00.

Patrons who listed a false residential address for their children thereby gained an educational benefit for their child that would not have otherwise been available, avoided paying higher fees in the form of tuition and avoided having to following open enrollment procedures.

Prior to the 2008/09 school year patrons were required to complete registration of existing students by filling out hard copy forms. To register a student who was an existing PLS student a "Registration and Information" form was required to be filed with the school. The form required the parent's and student's residential address, among other information. If the student was a first year student either beginning school or transferring from another district an "Enrollment Application and Transfer Form" was

required to be filed with the school. Similar to the registration form, the parent's and student's residential address, among other information, was required.

Beginning with the 2008/09 school year PLS used a computerized program to register students. The name of the program was *Power Schools*. According to Aaron Spurr of PLS who oversees the operation of the computer system each family was assigned one password. The password could be used to access the school account to register a student for the school year. During the registration process the parent is required to provide the residential address of the student and parent. In setting the appropriate fee, PLS relied on the information provided by the parent registering the student. The passwords were unique to each family and not individuals. There would be no way of telling which parent or guardian accessed the account to register the student only that it had been accessed with the assigned password.

In March/April of 2009, agents with the Iowa Division of Criminal Investigation assisted by the State Auditor's investigators conducted an investigation into the alleged false records. Initially, the information concerning false addresses had been discovered in an internal audit conducted by the University of Northern Iowa. School documents were inspected and copied and interviews of certain individuals including administrative staff members, parents and community members were completed.

As it relates to the above referenced defendant the following information was learned.

During the 2007/08 Angie L. Gilbert resided at 235 Denver Street, Waterloo, IA. She resided at the address with her husband and three children CAG, KAG and CG. It was learned that Gilbert resided at this address for 2 years prior to the 07/08 school year.

Gilbert attempted to open enroll her children out of the Waterloo Community School District but was denied.

One or more of the Gilbert children have attended PLS since the 2003/04 school year. The children were taken out of PLS for the 2009/10 school year when the family relocated to Texas.

On March 26, 2007, Angie Gilbert completed a form entitled "Enrollment Application and Transfer Form" to apply for the admission of CAG into PLS. On the form Gilbert listed an address for CAG of 1910 Clay Street, Cedar Falls, IA. Gilbert also completed a form dated August 2, 2007, for CAG entitled "Registration Information". On the form Gilbert listed a residential address of 1910 Clay Street, Cedar Falls, IA for herself and for CAG.

Gilbert completed a form dated August 2, 2007, for KAG entitled "Registration Information". On the form Gilbert listed a residential address of 1910 Clay Street, Cedar Falls, IA for herself and for KAG.

Gilbert completed a form dated August 2, 2007, for CG entitled "Registration Information". On the form Gilbert listed a residential address of 1910 Clay Street, Cedar Falls, IA for herself and for CG.

1910 Clay Street, Cedar Falls, IA is an address within the residential zone of the PLS.

The address of 1910 Clay Street belongs to Michael and Vicki Gilbert who are the grandparents of the aforementioned children. Ms. Gilbert indicated that the defendant and the Gilbert children have never resided at her home on Clay Street. Ms. Gilbert that she knew it was wrong to have the kids use her address but she did not want them to go to Waterloo schools.

The defendant was interviewed by an agent with the Iowa DCI. During the interview the defendant admitted to entering an address on registration records where her family did not reside. The defendant admitted to using the address to enable her children to be able to attend PLS.

It appears from school records obtained during the investigation that the defendant has always maintained on official school records that her children reside at 1910 Clay Street, Cedar Falls, IA.

Angie Gilbert and her family resided outside the PLS zone and should have "tuitioned-in" at the per pupil fee. From the 2003/2004 school year through 2008/2009 with proper fees applied minus the fees paid, the Gilbert's would owe \$47,701 to the PLS system.

IN THE IOWA DISTRICT COURT IN AND FOR BLACK HAWK COUNTY

STATE OF IOWA,)			
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Plaintiff,)	Case No. 01071	AGCR168177	
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VS	3		SUMMONS	
)			
ANGIE LYNN GILBERT)			
)			
Defendant.	}			

TO: ANGLE LYNN GILBERT
235 DENVER ST
WATERLOO IA 50702

TO THE ABOVE NAMED INDIVIDUAL:

You are hereby ordered by the Court to appear on the first floor of the Black Hawk County Courthouse, Waterloo, Iowa, on the 22ND day of APRIL , 2010 , at 8:30 A.M. for a INITIAL APPEARANCE with respect to a Complaint that has been filed charging you with the offence of TAMPERING W/RECORDS . You should report to the court attendant's desk outside the large courtroom on the first floor of the courthouse.

If you fail to so appear, a warrant for your arrest may be issued. Please take notice and govern yourself accordingly.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the Black Hawk County Sheriff's.

Office provide the defendant with personal service of a copy of this order.

Dated 04/07/10 .

DISTRICT ASSOCIATE JUDGE/

Copies to: Sheriff

STATE OF IOWA, COUNTY OF BLACK HAWK

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STATE OF IOWA	LERK OF DISTRICT COURT CASE NO. PGCRUS 175 BLACK HAWK COURTY, IOWA COMPLAINT, AFFIDAVIT and ORDER
V.	COMPLAINT, AFFIDAVIT and ORDER
STEPHANIE KAY HOVEY, DOB: 07/24/1976	
	owa and accuses Stephanie K. Hovey of the crime of Tampering with Records, itted as follows: the defendant on or about the 17 th Day of July, 2007, in the va, did commit tampering with records relating to OMH in violation of Section Complainant
Subscribed and sworn to b	pefore me by the said complainant on the day of House 2010. Notary Public in the State of Iowa
STATE OF IOWA, COUNTY OF BLACK HAWK,	
I, the undersigned, being to me by other reliable persons for See Affidavit - Attachment A	first duly sworn and under oath, state that the following facts known by me or told m the basis for my belief that the Defendant committed the crimes charged. Affiant
Subscribed and sworn to	before me by the said complainant on this day of Aske 12010. Magistrate/Judge or Notary Public in the State of Iowa ORDER
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IN THE IOWA DISTRICT COURT FOR BLACK HAWK COUNTY

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STEPHANIE KAY HOVEY)))	

In March of 2009, information came to law enforcement that indicated a number of patrons of the Malcolm Price Laboratory School (K-6), hereinafter referred to as (PLS), located at the University of Northern Iowa were listing addresses on school records for their children that were false. The addresses were listed on enrollment and registration records of the PLS.

PLS is established pursuant to Iowa Code. PLS is an elementary school with a district or zone that is physically within the Cedar Falls School District. However, PLS is operated on a separate budget and is independent of Cedar Falls School District. NU High which is established under the same code section is likewise situated and operated.

Patrons of the PLS who live within a defined residential or buffer zone are allowed to send their children to the PLS for a fee of \$500 for the 2006/07 school year, \$526 for the 2007/08 school year and \$543 for the 2008/09 school year. Patrons who desire to send their children to PLS that live outside of the residential or buffer zone can do so by following the appropriate open enrollment procedure set by the Iowa Department of Education or by following a process called "tuitioning in". For a patron to "tuition-in" a student must receive permission of the PLS administration and pay the "per pupil fee" set by the legislature. For the 2006/07 school year the per-pupil fee was \$5,135.00. For the 2007-2008 school year the "per-pupil fee" set by the legislature was \$5,333.00. For the 2008-2009 school year the "per pupil fee" set by the legislature was \$5,500.00.

Patrons who listed a false residential address for their children thereby gained an educational benefit for their child that would not have otherwise been available, avoided paying higher fees in the form of tuition and avoided having to following open enrollment procedures.

Prior to the 2008/09 school year patrons were required to complete registration of existing students by filling out hard copy forms. To register a student who was an existing PLS student a "Registration and Information" form was required to be filed with the school. The form required the parent's and student's residential address, among other information. If the student was a first year student either beginning school or transferring from another district an "Enrollment Application and Transfer Form" was

required to be filed with the school. Similar to the registration form, the parent's and student's residential address, among other information, was required.

Beginning with the 2008/09 school year PLS used a computerized program to register students. The name of the program was *Power Schools*. According to Aaron Spurr of PLS who oversees the operation of the computer system each family was assigned one password. The password could be used to access the school account to register a student for the school year. During the registration process the parent is required to provide the residential address of the student and parent. In setting the appropriate fee, PLS relied on the information provided by the parent registering the student. The passwords were unique to each family and not individuals. There would be no way of telling which parent or guardian accessed the account to register the student only that it had been accessed with the assigned password.

In March/April of 2009, agents with the Iowa Division of Criminal Investigation assisted by the State Auditor's investigators conducted an investigation into the alleged false records. Initially, the information concerning false addresses had been discovered in an internal audit conducted by the University of Northern Iowa. School documents were inspected and copied and interviews of certain individuals including administrative staff members, parents and community members were completed.

As it relates to the above referenced defendant the following information was learned.

During the 2007/08 Stephanie Hovey resided at 919 Baltimore Street, Waterloo, IA. She resided at the address with her child OMH. Hovey and OMH's father are divorced. Beginning in June of 2007, Hovey resided at 810 Catherine Street, Cedar Falls, IA. This address is not in the residential or buffer zone of the PLS.

OMH has attended PLS since the 2007/08 school year.

Hovey completed a form to register OMH with PLS dated July 17, 2007, entitled "Registration Information". On the form Hovey listed a residential address for OMH and for herself of 1476 Laurel Street, Cedar Falls, IA.

1476 Laurel Street, Cedar Falls, IA is an address within the residential zone of the PLS.

The address of 1476 Laurel Street belongs to Jerry and Alma Backstrom who are the parents of Hovey. Hovey indicated during an interview that she was using her parent's address to drop off her son during her pending divorce. Hovey indicated that she was not aware of the additional tuition and fees. It appears that OMH nor Hovey resided at 1476 Laurel Street.

It appears from school records obtained during the investigation that the defendant has always maintained on official school records that OMH resided at 1476 Laurel Street, Cedar Falls, IA.

Stephanie Hovey was not approved for open enrollment and lived outside the PLS zone. When proper registration fees were applied, Stephanie Hovey owed tuition for the 2007/2008 and 2008/2009 school year in the amount of \$10,833. Minus the fees previously paid of \$1,006, Hovey owes a total of \$9,754 PLS system.

IN THE IOWA DISTRICT COURT IN AND FOR BLACK HAMK COUNTY

STATE OF IOWA,

Plaintiff,

Plaintiff,

STEPHANIE KAY HOVEY

Defendant.

STATE OF IOWA,

Case No. 01071 AGCR168175

SUMMONS

Defendant.

TO: STEPHANIE KAY HOVEY 810 CATHERINE ST CEDAR FALLS IA 50613-2455

TO THE ABOVE NAMED INDIVIDUAL:

You are bereby ordered by the Court to appear on the first

floor of the Black Hawk County Courthouse, Waterloo, Iowa, on the

22ND day of APRIL , 2010 , at 8:30 A.M. for a

INITIAL APPEARANCE with respect to a Complaint that has been

filed charging you with the offense of TAMPERING W/RECORDS .

You should report to the court attendant's dock outside the large

courtroom on the first floor of the courthouse.

If you fail to so appear, a warrant for your arrest may be issued. Please take notice and govern yourself accordingly.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the Black Hawk County Sheriff's Office provide the defendant with personal service of a copy of this order.

Dated 04/07/10 .

DISTRICT ASSOÇIATE JUDGE/ MAGISTRATE

Copies to: Sheriff

STATE OF IOWA, COUNTY OF BLACK HAWK

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LERK OF DISTRICT COUR**CASE NO. A**BLACK HAWK COUNTY, 10WA

COMPLAINT, AFFIDAVIT and ORDER V. CHERYL ANNE LONGNECKER DOB: 08/06/1962 Comes Now the State of Iowa and accuses Cheryl A. Longnecker of the crime of Tampering with Records, an aggravated misdemeanor, committed as follows: the defendant on or about the 17th Day of August, 2007, in the County of Black Hawk, State of Iowa, did commit tampering with records relating to PML in violation of Section 715A.5 of the Iowa Criminal Code. Subscribed and sworn to before me by the said complainant on the STATE OF IOWA, COUNTY OF BLACK HAWK, SS. I, the undersigned, being first duly sworn and under oath, state that the following facts known by me or told to me by other reliable persons form the basis for my belief that the Defendant committed the crimes charged. See Affidavit - Attachment A Subscribed and sworn to before me by the said complainant on this 712 Magistrate/Judge or Notary Public in the State of Iowa It is ordered that a summons be issued by the Clerk of Count to the defendant at the last known address setting an appearance on the above referenced charge for the darkey of Asrel 2010 at 8:30 a.m./p.m. Magistrate/Judge, First Judicial District Black Hawk County, Iowa

Court	Police	Prosecutor	Defendant
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IN THE IOWA DISTRICT COURT FOR BLACK HAWK COUNTY

STATE OF IOWA	LERN OF DISTRIOT COURT BLACK HAWK COURTY, IOWA	CASE NO
V.	Ì	AFFIDAVIT
CHERYL ANNE LONG)) ENECKER)	ATTIONAL

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or transferring from another district an "Enrollment Application and Transfer Form" was require to be filed with the school. Similar to the registration form, the parent's and student's residential address, among other information, was required.

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In March/April of 2009, agents with the Iowa Division of Criminal Investigation assisted by the State Auditor's investigators conducted an investigation into the listing of the false address. School documents were inspected and copied and interviews of certain individuals including administrative staff members, parents and community members were completed.

As it relates to the above referenced defendant the following information was learned.

Cheryl Longnecker resides at 5408 Norse Drive, Cedar Falls, IA an address outside the residential and buffer zone of PLS. Cheryl Longnecker is divorced from Jim Longnecker. Together they have a child at PLS whose initials are PML.

PML has attend PLS since the 2007/08 school year.

On August 17, 2007, Cheryl Longnecker completed a form entitled "Enrollment Application and Transfer Form" to apply for the admission of PML into PLS. On the form Longnecker listed an address for PML of 1901 18th Street, Cedar Falls, IA. Longnecker also completed a form dated August 7, 2007, for PML entitled "Registration Information". On the form Longnecker listed a residential address for PML of 1901 18th Street, Cedar Falls, IA.

1901 18th Street, Cedar Falls, IA is an address within the residential zone of the PLS. Neither Cheryl Longnecker, Jim Longnecker or PML have resided at 1901 18th Street, Cedar Falls, IA

It was learned during the investigation that 1901 18th Street, Cedar Falls, IA was an apartment complex named Point West. Cheryl Longnecker's older daughter Taylor Longnecker resided in the apartment complex in apartment C4. Law enforcement investigating the allegations attempted to make contact with the residents at apartment C4 but could get no one to answer the door. It was learned that two additional persons resided at apartment C4, John Williams and Cody Hashman.

Taylor Longnecker, Williams and Hashman were all interviewed. Each gave information indicating that PML was not a resident of 1901 18th Street Apartment C4, Cedar Falls, IA. Each also indicated that Jim Longneck and PML were occasional visitors to the apartment but were not a residents. None indicated that Jim Longnecker paid rent or any of the expenses associated with the apartment nor was he listed as a tenant on a lease.

Cheryl Longnecker indicated in her interview that PML resided at 1901 18th Street, Apartment C4, Cedar Falls, IA. Longnecker stated that because she lived outside the zone, Jim Longnecker lived at the apartments so PML could attend PLS. Cheryl Longnecker indicated that she and Jim Longnecker were getting divorced however it was not final

If proper fees were charged for school years 2007/2008 and 2008/2009 the proper fee would be \$11,902 minus fees paid of \$2,138. The proper fees currently owed by the Longneckers to PLS are \$9,764.

IN THE IOWA DISTRICT COURT IN AND FOR BLACK HAWK COUNTY

STATE OF IOWA,

)

plaintiff,

Case No. 01071 AGCR168178

)

VS

SUMMONS

CHERYL ANNE LONGNECKER

)

Defendant.

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TO: CHERYL ANNE LONGNECKER
5408 NORSE DR
CEDAR FALLS IA 50613-7607

TO THE ABOVE NAMED INDIVIDUAL:

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floor of the Black Hawk County Courthouse, Waterloo, Iowa, on the

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filed charging you with the offense of TAMPERING W/RECORDS ...

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Dated 04/07/10 .

DISTRICT ASSOCIATE JUDGE/ MAGISTRATE

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Copies to: Sheriff